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But, if you loved Paris for her beauty as well as for her amusing ways, you' will find yourself loving her all the more intencely in her unadorned stillness." At once you are more intimate with heras you might suddenly feel intimate troubled. It cannot be denied Paris has a turn for tragedy. The tragic role is becoming to her, and she never looked more beautiful than now, with her leafless, unbudding trees etched blackly against the bleached groy facades 28? of her tall houses and her humanity reduced to a sprinkling of unimportant

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One after another the veils go by, Now it is the filmy chiffon of an elegantly booted and be-furred lady; then follows the stiff creps of a woman of the people, hanging almost to her heels. After a time the veil procession becomes almost unbearable. One wonders why this parade of bereavement is permitted -until one begins to notice that the veiled women's faces are nearly always. eyes. The Parisienne finds some com-

forting charm in that morbid uniform. People are coming back to Paris," you are told, but as yet the most delightul hostesses of Paris are " not at home." You many not pay your respects to Mona Lisa or salute the Milo Vents or greet the Nike of Samothrace with her most interesting of old women which the Luxembourg got from Rodin. All these the first hints of siege and are now kept hidden until the Zeppelin threats are

WHAT PARTS REYS. And the shops! Can it bo that they ever drew womenfolk across sens and The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COM- continents? Grim steel shutters cover the faces of many: the others show no brilliance, no allure.

It would seem that if one did buy anything beyond the bare necessities of life it must be something for a soldier. " Pour nos soldats" appears above the trays of the sellers along the boulevards where sleek-headed, hailess girls are choosing gifts for piou-piou. " Pour nos soldate" prests one in the windows of the exclusive establishments where Parisian exquisites med to choose their.

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MILL SHIRTS FOR SOLDIERS.

After the flint and steel arrangement it is loss of a shock to discover further mediavalism in the form of steel armour Breastplates, head-coverings and chain vests glitter in a clothier's window pour nos soldats." Surely terror, is added to campaigning when it s possible for a fond wife or mother to embarrass her warrior in the field by gift of one of these! Receivers of unwearable woolies might take note that there are further depths to sound.

The epidemie of Aleacitic has not yet subsided. Tiny dolls in Alsatian costume me even more in evidence than the "dying Kaisers," which absurdly expire with a wail and a sigh as their balloon bodies collapse: life-sizo Alsatians gazing latuously into one another's war faces, occupy, whole windows o the big magazine, and Alsace inspires a big proportion of the picture postcards.

DEHIND NOTES DAME In the older, shabbier parts of Paris there is less change. Still there is that little odour as of decadent bonfire which always intrigues the insular person who has a gift for travel. Still there is the same expression on the tall houses which looked down on the events of '70 Still the displays of miscellaneous food. stuffs, clinging like naturally-rooted vegetation around their bases. Much the same-but that one catches eight of the culm and that there is pride in their tail-ond of two yards of crepe just disappearing at the street end.

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Germans-honce these idle fingers. Paris is dead. I hoard an English patron pronounce decidedly to a mournful restaurant proprietor. Monsier did B Business in Imports and Exports, a not accept the challenge. He looked up COMPRADORE Focusity of \$5,000 ful restaurant proprietor. Monsier did at his stopped clock, and then out over his window blind to where, at the end of the little street, one could see the widows' veils succeeding one another along the Avenue de l'Opera. "Yes," he admitted-three times.

THE DIRECTORY AND CHRONICLE FOR CHINA, JAPAN, &c.

We have much pleagure in calling attention to the 1915 issue of this very useful publication, which, as we have had occasion to say in the past, is, in our opinion, the bost compilation of its kind in the Far Rast. In every respect the new issue is worthy of comparison with the best of its fifty-two predecessors, being as carefully compiled and as full of useful information as previouslys The bulky volume in the familiar ted covers is again cleanly printed, on a very good quality of paper and bound as anbstantially as of yore. This year the compilers have had to cope with serious difficulties arising out of the many changes that have occurred in consequence of the war, but notwithstanding these difficulties the work is presented in a thoroughly efficient manner with apparently as much accuracy as in the past. To a book is in every way a "Directory and Chronicle" of a very large portion of the Far Leat, iving, as it does useful and up-to date information relative to China—particularly of the Treaty Ports—and of Japan, Cores, Lado-Chine, the Straits Settlements, Malay States, Siam, Netherlands India, Borneo.

The Philippines, &c.

We congratulate the publishers, "The Hougkong Daily Press," office, Des Voux Road, upon the successful manner in which they have overcome the many difficulties attending the publication of such a work in these eventful days and again have very much pleasure in recommending volume. The "Directory and Chronicle may now be obtained through the book-

Transference of Austrians to West Reported.

GERMANY'S DUPES.

The Giornale d'Italia, in a telegram from Vienna, states that the journey of the Austrian heir to the Throne to Berlin and to the German Head quarters is in accordance with a scheme of the German staff, the object of which is to exchange the forces of Austrian-Hungary by German

Thus, while a considerable number o German troops are continually arriving in Austrian Hungary and are being despatched to Transylvania to guard against the Roumanian menace, Austro-Hungarian forces are being brought to Flanders and

In Austria the whole of the staff is German, so much so that the strategical operations and the military government of the country have now been placed under the control of the German cloment, Such a change coincides with the alteration that has been caused in the direction of political affairs in the Monarchy by the fact that the Hungarians have assumed practically all responsibility. Count Tives is the absolute master of the aituation, while all the other important posts in the Monarchy are being filled up with Hungarians. The present events would seem to be the result of Count Tisza's recent visit to Berlin:

"Hungary," adds the journal, "has entrusted to the Germans " the delence her territory against the joint investor Russia, Bervia, and probably Roumania Hungarian public opinion obtains some Satisfaction from the fact that Austria's role in the war has been considerably reduced by all these charges. The Austran army that has been sent to Flanders is apparent the debris of the army that suffered so much at the hands of Servis, and the German thinks to use this force as reserves and re-In Vienna the opinion prevails that the complete commercial guide to London and intervention of Roumania would be fatal to its suburba the Diverton and and the Monarchy, and some

the Blonarchy, and some discontent is apparent at the military occupation of Austria-Hungary by Germans." Brigadier-General N. W. Barnardiston (Intely Commanding the British Forces in North China), had the honour of being received by the King at Buckingham Palace

on 5th ulto. General Barnardiston bad a cordial greeting at Sudbury on Eth inst. on his way to the residence of his father, Colonel BarnarCiston, at the village Henny. Le was suct at the station by the Mayor and Corporation, and was loudly cheered by crowds as he passed through the decorated streets. An address of welcome was presented at him, in which reference was made withe part played by his and store, some of whom fought under Cromwell. He was secompanied by his wife, daughter, mother, and maters.

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CHINA'S FUTURE AND BRITISH INTERESTS.

A GREAT OPPORTUNITY.

(Br Putnam Woole in the "Daily Telegraph " of Feb. 20.1

PERIN, Jan. 21. The question of Britain's future relations with China is of sufficient importance to claim a column of print, even in such dramatic times as these. The problem is still unsolved. Whether this country is to a come an independent nation in the true sense of the words, or is to decline gradually to a vasual state, when Yuan Shih Kai ceases to rule under the unwritten guarantee the Powers, is still uncertain. solution of the problem, however, stands out just now so startlingly clear that its significance will be patent even to those who have little interest in distant

The one thing that has prevented British interests from retaining in China the overwhelmingly predominant position they enjoyed previous to the "seramble" of 1808, and thereby allowing this country to gather up strength, and adjust herself to modern equirements, in the way that best suits the genius of the people has been, not the jealousy and rivalry of the foreign Powers, but the icalousy and rivalry of Englishmen and English houses. There can be not the

alightest doubt about that. Had all the powerful interests which Dritain commands east of Singapore been blended flitteen years ago into one harmonious whole, under official guidance -not a very difficult thing, seeing the maryellous success which has characterised British State action during this great war-no combination or combinations could have successfully strugted against such a Behemoth.

TREATY-PORT TRADERS. I say this from a full knowledge of the facts. All recent history might not have been different, but the blows which have come would have broken differently had a formula been in existence specially designed to utilise the strength lying ready to the hand.

It is not that British institutions in the Far East of themselves possess such great strength; it is that behind them stand the vested interests created by three generations of Chinese treaty-port traders, men who are not only ready to mon-sense, in some trenchant parafollow any intelligent lead, but who, because they have acquired most of the not have," writes: financial power there is in the country through foreign trade, instinctively know

264 their logical conclusion. the process of throwing open to com- way of escaping the destiny she has papers were found I would most assured-

ambition of British diplomacy.

CO-OPERATION WITH FOREIGNERS. eral scheme of Anglo-Chinese co-opera- project on Warsaw he will seize another tion. British houses in China, from the opportunity to take advantage of the beginning of the "scramble," have merely pointed to their own particular fail in his calculation, at least, try to interest, and endlessly plagued Downingstreet with demands that their relatively small and unimportant affairs should be looked upon as possessing a splendid Imperialist character:

It is not expedient to-day to particut do justice to this new perfidy. No one, larise too clearly; it is merely necessary I am convinced, will be deceived, when to say that being unable to do business the Allies will repulse foreibly the inon the scale which the requirements of sidious offers of treason or cowardico 28b Ching demanded, and being unable to which will be made to one or other. oppose rival Continental combinations, is not through presumption, through British houses in the past have consist- hate, for thirst of vengeance, the desire ently sought co-operation, not with their for reprisals, the wish to humiliate Gerown people, but with foreigners, thereby many that we shall go to the very end. destroying a position which should have It is only because, if German militarism remained Anglo-Chineze. That, in a is not crushed once for all, the blood of financial monatrosity, the five-Power measures of peace are treason. This group, of cosmospolitan railway concest monstrous war, which was imposed on

story of rallways first offered to British is in her eyes no other right than force interests, and then passing partly or wholly to others because no British From her words and sets, greevous ecombination oxisted for adequately finance | an they are, let us countrain ourselves ing or building the Gargantuan systems to draw the necessary conclusions. With necestary in a country of vast distances. I am imperial and military Germany any which, more then anything class has Awang the pendulum egainst us.

OFFICIAL MANEING GROUND. The solution is simply this. With the propress China has made unaided during the past half year what is now DRA CANP.

required in morely the creation of an official British banking group, which will unito all' British Eastern banks under an official chairmanship, and assign to each a holding in the pool equivalent to each bank's assets. At least four Eastern banks may claim a place; if their London allies are added, a combination of nearly a score of banks would be avallable, uniting all the Eritish financo institutions. The entire Chinese trading interest would stand united behind such a formula, and its strength would be irresistible. At least 10,000 miles o Chineso railways-and perhaps 20,000swnit construction. The domense amount of capital required cannot be found out of London.

After this war there will be no money for anybody save on very different conditions from what it was previously borrowed. It will be a supreme stroke of statesmanship, for transcending any such coup as the purchase of the Sucz Canal shares, if henceforth British diplomacy deals with the Chinese quostion purely in terms of British finance, and refuses to endorse any cosmopolitan

We cannot hand over to other nations our honour; why should we hand them our credit? - Let that is precisely what we have been doing in China for years and years, and that is procisely why we have lost so much which must now b. reconquered.

A CHANCE FOR CHIMA. The instrument for giving the Chinese nation a chance—and a proper chance of emerging from the political shades inwhich it still languishes lies ready. Tho cash nexus can be turned, by an astute statesmanship, into a great polity able

to face without flinching the drama of never return.

PLAIN SPEAKING.

The Peace We Must Not Have.

M. Andre Lichtanberger, whose articles in Les Annales on the various phases of the war have been marked by much com-

The whole hope of Germany is in an port of course being worse to the Ger honourable peace. It is of this peace mans than a red rag to a bull. Having that true salvation lies by pushing trade honourable for her, dishonourable, worse obtained the necessaries I left Brussels principles hall-marked by England to then dishonourable for any, that you will at about aix o'clock one very black looksoon hear, in reports and rumours. What ing morning in December, and on my Ever since the Treaty of Nankin was do I say? Has the news not reached you person I had a few messages for the negotiated seventy-three years ago, and already? To Germany there is only one | War Office. I was told that if these merce Chinese coast and river towns was foolishly provoked and which is heaping ly be shot for a spy. A small harge Mr & Mrs Casulli. Mrs Lane .commenced, immense sums have been litself on her head: it is speculating on book, carrying cargo, was our only means Mr H. A. Cartwright Mr A. C. Lofts mainly living under the shadow of the adversaries to seize the first occasion Antwerp. The Germans, hearing we had Mr A. Cousland ... Mr & Mrs Mitchell. which will offer to treat at favourable left, hurried after us in a motor car, Mr and Mra a. B. more and child To-day probably not less than five conditions, at conditions which will per- about six of them fully armed stopped Orichton & children Mr and Mrs Moss and hundred millions sterling is firmly in- mit. her, ten years hence, being re- our little harge, and searched us. We Col. Darling vested in ware-houses, in factories, in established and having profited by ex- were allowed to go on after this exami. Mrs. Edwards and Mr &Mrs. Plummer endless streets of brick-built houses perience, to recommence, with the cer- nation and saw some terrible sights on children throughout twenty-one provinces. This tainty of victory, the fight, in which, our way. On nearing Antwerp in the Mr and Mrs Man der Miss M. Prior five hundred million pounds of Chinese to-day at heart, she knows herself beaten, evening about six o'clock the Prussian Elst values—and the men who control them Thus from here and there, from unknown guard having sighted us some little dis- Major Faichnie ... Mr & Mrs Ralphs -form the real political force in modern sources or from sources easy to recognise, tance away shot three times in the air. Mr & Mrs A. Gibson Mr A. Sinclair China. This is the mill which grinds removes have already circulated. The We had to stop again, and this time Mr & Mrs B. A. Hale bliss Skinner the grist coming from the endless acres neutrals, benevolent, we should like to were again examined and told to stay IA. Col. Gordon Hall, Mr C. Skott of small holdings covering a region not think, have murmired offers of inter- in Antworp that night. By this time RAMO. inferior in extent to the whole Con- vention. We are going to see these we were all fearfully hungry and asked Mr P. A. Hazeland Smith timent of Europe. To unite this strength | tentatives multiply. At the first success | if we might get on shore to have some | Mrs Hoybrender more or less permanently to our own which peradventure Germany may goin thing to eat. We were allowed to do Major Humphrey, Mr & Mrs A. Findley strength should long ago have been the they will take shape. It has been and having had a substantial re- Mr and Mrs. W. G. Mr Young nounced that the Kaiser had the inten- past, we hurried back again to the docks. Humphreys tion to astonish the world by this moder- | but, to our horror, the Prunnant had Now so far from seeing even on the ation in offering it peace after the taking shut the gates. far horizon, anything resembling a gen- of Warsaw. If he has to renounce his lassifude of the belligerents, and if they dupo public opinion by prolonging the

massacro which he has instigated. HALF MEASURES ARE TREASON. The windom of France and her Allies. the conscience of the civilised world will low words, is the origin of that politico- our dead has flowed in vain. All half sions, of all the political turmoit since us, has only one excuse; it is to open to

The true explanation must be sought For forty-four years, the world has in the power of the banking interest in bent under a crushing burden of armaa country where the cash nexus is the ments, because to the appeals of the only bond. The determination to retain Crar, initiator of the Hages Congress, he lion's share of the fat profits which of radical England and pacific France, ensue from the spending on a silver mur- one single Power has opposed without ket what is borrowed in gold, is an aspect truco a ficree sim of non-assent and of this philosophy of concessions about constant policy of menses and militarism. which English : professional diplomats | She has verified, in the last six months. only too effectively by sinister words and Thus, the history of nearly all non frightful deeds that the most secred con-British railways in China is merely the tracts are scraps of paper and that there THE PRICE OF RIGHT.

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AN ESCAPE FROM BRUSSELS.

OUTWITTING THE GERMANS

An Irish Girl's Ruse.

taking a sudden dislike to the English passed soldiers, goets, cowd, &c., all to Germany, whereupon I immediately One could not realise that these once Mr W. E. Clayton took steps to make my escape.

A-FALSA PASSPORT.

expansive cemetery. My only way to pass was to obtain a false passport, which I did, saying I was graphs entitled "The pesco we must a Belgian maid going to visit my people, refugees in Holland; an English pass-

I explained to the centry we had only. Mrs R. Almond left the barge to get something to cat. Mrs Bea'e & child and he informed me I was telling him a fairy tale, that he had been on duty all day, and no boat had come in. course I had to make him see he was Mr C. W. Brown wrong, and kept arguing with him until Mr W. Budge in quite a bad temper he roured to another sentry: "For sake, let this Mr A. Course Belgian woman through or you'll be Mr and Mrs J. R. Mr H. Murphy here all night." and throwing open the Crees gates I walked past him with a lighter Miss Crees heart, as I had no wish to be left in Antwerp for the might filled with Ger- Mrs A. Foy mans. When I eventually found the Lieut. B. Golland boat the tide had gone out and the barge Lieut. B. B. Green had sunk down, so I had to go again and bother this smisble sentry, but this Mr J. Hunter: time I held franc-notes before his eyes and this soon brought him to his sensos, and having belood me down, he got his roward.

Landing once more on board the burge, Mr and Mrs J, W. Mr D. Law s. we all got into a corner, like a lot of fowls to keep warm, so there was a layer Mr A. E. Carlston . Lillies ...

Next morning we were allowed proceed, and on landing in Dutch waters were once more abot at to stop, after being examined very closely and Miss D. Wilkins

to-morrow and five milliards as the price of our defection, we should not separate M.P. O. Mason Harley Mr. U. H. Watkins it is honourable, but because it is good Master Kent canse, because only that can assure us peace. Europe will not breather the elernal anxion of right will now recover Mr. & our Allen force, we shall have no scourity for the Oran Oran Mrs A. B. Men J. Meloy Juture of our children, until at the price Mr.A. Dunrich of desche and of months or of years of Mr G. W. Elli anguish that may be necessary, the Wr A. W. Gibbs Allies will have overthrown the monster. and on the londstions, that the best just the Same. Only ab the ALEXAN- our blood is cementing, will be set Mr B. James firmly the bases of a new right.

a great relief; to step out of this awful barge and find ourselves in Holland.

We landed at a very small town on the coast and had a long way to walk Mr H. G. Allen. Mr M. T. Jones to the station; the abow was inches thick. Mr Geo. E. Anderson Mr S. M. Josephand we were suffering from frozen feet. Great was our disappointment when we found we could not sail at night and For three years before the war the were once more obliged to obey orders. Mr J. Barrien the Pacific. The Eastern exchange writer of the following notes—the daugh- In the morning we made the second at Mr E. A. Bauckham banks, with their headquarters at Shang- ter of a well-known doctor in Ireland- tempt to get on the boat for England, Mis L.C. V. Beelsman Mr and Mrs. H. A. hai can, from their silver deposits, do was engaged in a large hospital near and just as I managed to slip through Mr C. D. J. Bell all the financing China needs during the Brussels, having been selected by the the gangway was taken in. Up to this Mr C.A. Bens pext two or three years without touching Belgian Government as instructress in time I was Belgian, but when I sighted. Mr & Mrs Beswick Mr N. Z Levil London gold. Everybody in Pekin is nursing. On the outbreak of the war our Navy I began to speak English. We Mr R. J. Birbeck waiting for some such move. If the she joined the staff of a hospital estab- were feeling a lot better in the train for present opportunity is missed it may lished in the Royal Palace. She writes: London, but terribly tired, having taken Mr W. M. Black I was night sister in the King's Palace four days to do the journey. It was Mr E. F. Bolhwell in Brussels for two months after the certainly a sight I should never like to Mr. and Mrs J. V. son German occupation, but the Emperor see again. Coming along the canal we sent orders that we were to be turned floating along side, and, of course, the Mr. Mrs.Jas. Camp. Mr.J. Merecki out and probably to be taken prisoner country rained and houses demolished. bell beautiful fields, parks, streets, etc., that

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HONGKONG, TRURSDAY, March 25, 1915

THE JAPANESE DEMANDS.

For some time past the public has

been made aware through one channel

or another that certain demands made

by the Japanese Government have

aroused considerable uneasiness mixed

with not a little indignation in the

minds of many throughout China.

The demands have been the engros-

sing topic since the middle of January

when they were presented, and al-

though their specific terms were not

generally known their tenour was

known to be of such a nature that

they aroused considerable anxiety in

many parts of the Republic together

with so strong a feeling of antipathy

some places a boycott of Japanese

We have had an opportunity of

reading the full text of the "De-

mands" and have come to the con-

clusion that it is not without reason'

that the Chinese have expressed

t'emselves so strongly against the

dominds," for they unquestionably

border too much on an encroachment

of China's sovereign rights. Granted

that China may require the spur in

some directions there is no need for

Japan or any other nation to take

upon themselves the task of directing

operations in a manner that leaves

China practically subservient. Be-

sides this reason, which in itself is

sufficient, it is not in the interests of

other nations that Japan should have

such a preponderating influence in

China. Let us consider some of the

demands in which Japan is en-

deavouring to obtain China's concur-

rance-with, so far, no apparent

success. The first four articles are

taining the peace of Eastern Asia and

of further strengthening the friendly

currence is, of course, asked. In

proach-the German Government for

the transfer of all rights and privileges

Germany in the Province of Shang-

tung, whether secured by Treaty or

her full assent thereto." Article II

requires the Chinese Government to

Shangtung and along its sea-border

to territory or island or land of any

name, or nature, shall be ceded or

leased to anythird Power." British op-

inion in the Far East, we feel certain,

would rather wish that the opport-

unity presented by the defeat of the

Germans in Tsington should be taken

to return Shangtung to China and

that so far as the second Article is

concerned all that is required to make

it fair oll-round is that the word

"third" should be deleted. In

country such as China with a large

notential market awayling develop.

ment it is essential that the "open-

agree "that within the Province of

of whatsoever nature enjoyed by

continue to express

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Settling Day :- H K. Stock Exchange. 1.30 p.m -Rt Stephen's Coll go Athletic Sports at Happy Valley. 2.30 p.m.-Auction of Teakwood and

Blackwood Furniture etc., at Messre. Hughes and Hough's. Annual Impection of H.K. Police Force

by H.E. the Governor.

General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, March 27 :--Yacht Races in Aid of Be'gian Relief

SUNDAY, March 28 :-Palm Sundry.

MONDAY, March 29:-2.30 p.m .- Auction of Household Furni ture etc. at 11, Knutsford Terrace Rowloon.

TUESDAY, March : 0 :-2.20 p.m .- Auction of Teakwood

Blackwood Furniture etc., at Mesars. Hughes and Hough's. WEDNESDAY, March 31 :-

- Prince Henry's Birthday (1900). 11 a.m. -Driwing of Detentures a Hongkong Clab.

11 s.m -H.K. & W. Dock Co's Meeting. Moon.-Hongkeng Rope Co's, Meeting 1.38 p.m .- Full Moon.

TRURSDAY, April 1 :--2.30 pm .- Auction of Teakwood and state that when they "hereafter ap-Blackwood Furniture etc., at Messra Hughes and Hough's

FRIDAY, April 2:-Good Friday, Public Holiday. BUNDAY, April 4:-Easter Sunday. MONDAY, April 5 :--Buster Monday. Public Holiday. THURSDAY, April 8 :--King of Belgian's Birthday (1875).

MONDAY. April 19:-Noon. -H. K. Schools' Athletic Sports.

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door " policy should prevail, should be insisted upon, in the interests of the all concerned

Japan also seeks the privilege of building a railway from Chefoo or Langkow to join the Kinchao and Chinan-fu railway and that " for the residence of toreigners certain important places shall be speedily opened in Shangtung na Treaty Ports." With this latter demand or anggestion none is likely to cavil, but with the former it would be well it such a privilege were extended to international enterprise. The wish expressed by Japan for the extension to 99 years of the lease of Port Arthur, Dalny, and of the South Manchurin and Antang-Mukden milways is not likely to be opposed from any quarter, nor are certain privileges sought in Eastern Inner Mongo'ia likely to provo cortroversial. It will probably be a different matter if Japan insists upon her demand that "if the Chinese Government in South Mancharia or Eastern Morgolia employs advisers or instructors for political, financial KRING, -On March 6, to Mr and Mrs or military purposes the Japanese shall first be consulted." - Unleshe may yet entertain regarding Hospital, these territories, we are inclined to think that she will strongly oppose such a demand. It may be, as the Japanese Government suggests, to the interest of both China and Japan that the Hanyelping Company, which we believe operates near Wuchang should be jointly owned but when the Japanese demand that all mines in the neighbourof those owned by the Hanyephing Company shall not be permitted, without the consent the said Company, to worked by other persons ontside of the said Company and further that it is desired to carry out 2150 was improsed. any undertaking which it is apprehended may directly or indirectly affect the interests of the said Company, the consent of the said Company shall first be obtained," such a demand is likely to be opposed

by other nations, for surely in asking this Japan also asks too much

demands, which appear to us to be a in the minds of many Chinese that in direct reversion of the policy that has prevailed with regard to China. They are contrary to the policy of the 'Open Door," which is the only policy that is likely to prevent a reentrence of international difficulties. We trust that the British Government will continue to adhere to this policy and do all in its power, even in the new circumstances that have arisen.

SCCIAL AND PER ONAL.

to maintain it.

Mr. J. H Seth, of Mesora, Percy Smith, Sath and Fleming, and Mrs. Seth, left to- 'sy hy the " Sawa Maru" for Home

Our Sc ttish Correspondent in his letter by to-day's Siberian mail, announces the death of the widow of Russell Brooke Robertson, C.M.G., H.B M. Consul at Yokohama, Mrs. Robertson was the second daughter of the late John Ross.

S.S.C., Edinburgh. News has just been received by cab'egram, that Frank Dealy, the elder son of ing Gun 2.20 p.m. the Hend Master of Queen's College, has Name Handicapon Finishing Corrected just been awarded the Ridley Memorial Scholarship of £80 per annum, tenable for based upon a desire, expressed by two years at the Adelaide University, from the Japanese Government. " of main. the State Agricultural College at Rose. worthy, near Adelaide, South Australia, The course at Romeworthy is one of three years, and this Scholarship is awarded to the best 3rd year student at the Final relations existing between the two Diploma Examination. The Scholarship neighbouring nations." China's con- was first awarded in 1913, and as it is only available every siternate year, the present in the second award. Students of the Article I, the Japanese Government Roseworthy Agricultural College are alone eligible for it.

KOWLOON HIGHWAY ROBBERY:

This afternoon at the Magistracy Mr. Wood too't evidence in the case arising out of a highway robbery on the Rowloon any other manner, China shall give assistant at Mesers. A. B. Watson & Co's Starting Gun 2.40 p.m. surated water factory, was robbed and

> Detective Mortimer O'Sullivan conducted the case, and charged two Chinese with being concerned in the rubbery. The first defendant pleaded guilty. Complainant was returning home in a ricksha at dush when he was attacked by

> six mon, who threw pepper in the coolie's eyes, assaulted complainant and threw him into the gutter. He was robbed of money and articles to the value of over \$100. The Magistrate committed the first defendant to take his trial at the next Criminal Sessions. The second defendant Was discharged.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

H.E. the Governor will inspect the Hongkong Police at the Central Compound at 9.30 p.m. to-morrow.

The Tokyo banks have decided raduce the int rest on deposit accounts by a half per cent, per annum.

An interesting article by Putnem Wenls on China's Future and British Interests is re-produced on page S.

The righth annual meeting of the premises to-morrow evening at 6 o'c'ock

Mounts A. R. Hall and A. C. Young from Kobe, are passengers for England on the Suwa Maru. They are going home to

The British stemmer Glenlochy entered dry dock at Nagazaki on the 8th instant and underwent a survey. The fire caused little ordinary circumstance have p rmitted the damingo to, the hull.

Chinese weman, residing at 88 Sto e Null th Lune, who was seen wander-China agrees to relinquish any rights has been sont to the Government Civil

> The prize winners at the Royal Naval Dockyard Recreation Club fortnightly whist drive last evening were as follow: India-1, Mrs. Barr; 2, Mrs. Tooker; 3 Mrs. Scars; Consolation prices, Mrs. C christ and Mrs. Windshank; booby, Mrs. Hawkins. Gentlemen-1, Mr. Pile ; 2. Mr. 4. T. Grundy ; 3, Mr. J. Hollands ; 4, Mr. J. Gladwell ; booby, Mr. J. Craig.

Detective Sergt. Clark this morning charged a Chinese, who he had arrested all Dos Vour Rad Central, with being in illegal possession of a revolver the properties under loan to us and we are "n 1 100 rounds of ammunition. Defendant said the articles were given to him by a friend in the country three months ago, and he was taking euro of them. A fine of

The Union Church Guild closed a very successful winter session last evening with a secial gathering. It was announced that and other necessary expenses incurred there ramains a satisfactory balance in hand. A programme of music and readings was courr buted to by Mrs Gibson, Rov. J. Kirk Maconnchie, Mesars A. Hughes and C. Japan - also makes some other Edycumbe (songs)," Mrs Maconachie (reading) and Miss Mackenzia (pianoforte solo and accompaniments.)

> charged at the instance of Detective Sergt. Wills before Mr. Hazeland this morning with stealing a bicycle belonging to one of the Indian a ldiers on duty at Lyemun Forts. Tho defence was that the watchman bought the machine from the complainant, The bicycle, and the Sorgeant, was lent to the defendant for a fortaight and in that time he apparently broke it, damaging the handle bars and breaking off a pedal. Then the machine was returned to the complainant, whose spent \$10 on repairs. Defendant said he could call ten persons

n his defence. ' 'I he case was remanded until Monday.

SPORTING.

YACHTING.

Royal Hongkong Yacht Club.

"The last of the series of Championship Rices in connection with the above Club was sailed on Saturday last and resulted Mount Austin Barracks, under Officers

as follows :-HANDICAP CLAMA. Courses :- Datum Rock (P) Distance 14.8 miles. Preparatory Gun 2.25 p.m. Start-

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Winner of Championship. ONE DESIGN CLASS. Course :- North Fairway Buoy (3) Kowloon Rock (S) Channel Rock (S). Distance 10.1 miles. Preparatory Gun 2.35 p.m.

Finishing Time. H. M. S. 5 18 41 Allanah 19 23 D. N. S. D. N. S. Bonita Haleyon Pia. for race Pis, to dat Position_ Ailes Bonita

> Winner of Championship. (Continued on page 8.)

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COMPANY MEETING. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

Forty-Sixth Ordinary Meeting.

The forty-vixth ordinary meeting of

shareholders in this company was held at

the offices, S. Queen's Road this morning. Hon. Mr. E. Shellim provided, and there were also present, Messra J. W. C. Bonnar, R Shewan, W. L. Pattendon, J. A. Plummer, directors; C. Pemberton, secretary W. E. Clarke, P. Symth, K. D. Gazdar, F. E. MoHugh, Duncan Clark, B. M. Concieno, G. H. May, T. O. Weall, Leung Yan Po. Chun Pat, A. H. M. da Silva, shareholders, The Chairman said.—The past twelve months unfortunately have proved none too favourable, as losses were the heaviest in the history of the company. While there were spread over a number of Agencies, we had more especially to deplors heavy claims through a series of fires on the cotton greens in Bombay and consider-able lesses in the Philippines. The war-too has affected us adversely, for up to its outbreak premium income showed an upward tendency, but this was followed by a considerable falling off in the latter -months of the year and there is nimmediate improvement in this con-nection. Working account 1913 ran off with a profit of \$244,70 75 which, while much smaller than usual, would under same distribution as last year. Unfortunately we had to face a depreciation in our securities of \$92,051.75 and it is a matter of regret to your Board that they are therefore only able to recommend a dividend of \$7.00 and a lonus of \$2.00 a share, absorbing \$180,000.00, and the addition of balance of \$64,708.73 - b investment fluctuation account. With this addition and after the depreciation has been met the account will stind \$5.033.94 as shown in the balance sheet. In this connection I may mention that your Directors af er due consideration decided to write 5% off the book value of all sterling securities, where re market quotation was available. Your Directors are however satisfied that all the securities are sound ones and their depreciation; we hope, is only temporary. Working account 1914 shows a balance of \$300,608.36 which the smallest carry forward for many years. and we can only hope that this will run off with a minimum of lorses. The increase in charges is accounted for by heavy legal expensed incurred in connection with our new Articles." In regard to our mortgages the company's surveyors have reported on satisfied that our advances are perfectly safe. I will now move that the Directors' report and statement of accounts for the year 1914 as pre-ented be adopted, after his has been seconded I shall be pleased

relating to the business before the meeting. The report and account were adopted on the motion of the Chairman, seconded by The appointment of Mesers F. Lieb, Widmann, R. Shewan and J. A. Plummer after making a grant towards the lighting to the directorate was confirmed on the motion of Mr D. Clark seconded by Mr

to answer any questions that may be put

Mr Silva proposed, Mr Loung Y-n. Po seconded and it was resolved that Hon. Mr E. Shellim and Mr J. W. C. Bonnar who

Messrs A. R. Lowe and C. Bernard

be had on application at the office.

HONGKONG YOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman, V.D.

The under-mentioned having joined th Corps are posted as follows:-Pte. F. N. Silva to Right Section M.G.

Pte. G. A. Carvalho to Right Section M.G. Company. Pte. A. Remedies to Right Section

M.G. Company. Pte. L. M. Franco to Right Section

M.G. Company. Pte. D. M. Ross to Scouts Company. Pic. N. P. Thomson to Scouts Com-

Parades for Friday, 26th instant:-Units on duty at Headquarters and

5.15 p.m -- Lett Section M.G. Co.-10 pda Specialists instruction at Headquar-6cm. Sergi. McCubbin will attend. One Machine Gun Section of Scoute Co .-M.G. drill as Headquarters. Romainder,

Officers on duty: Capt. Wood, Lieut Kennett and Liout. Dauby. Orderly Officer: Lieut. Kennett. Orderly Sergeant : Corpl. Bolton. Medical Orderly: Ptc. Thomson.

At Volunteer Headquarters :- 7 p.m. to-day to 7 n.m. to-morrow, Civil Service Company; 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. to-morrow. Centre Section M.G. Co.; and 7 p.m. tomorrow to 7 s.m. 27th inst., Right Section M.G. Co.

p.m. to-day to 7 n.m. to-morrow and 10.15 p.m. to-morrow to 7 a.m. 27th inst., No. 2 Section Artillery Battery. HONGKONG RIFLE LEAGUE.

The following will represent the H.K.V.C. against H.M. Dockyard Rifle Club in a league match at 3 p.m. on many readers to day the wonderful work Saturday 27th instant, at Tai Hang of our handful of British troops Rango :- Capt. Wood, Sgt.-Mir. Duncan, hundred desperate struggles against over-Sgt. Bradoury, Cpl. Manuk, Bombrs. Farroll and Martin and Gunners Green be forgotten, nor yet the 5th Fusiliers, the and Labrum. Reserves: Sgt. Suther- 64th, 84th, 90th, the ever loyal and gallant land and Bombr. Ixer. Any members of Sikha, and the other regiments which the team unable to be present is request. fought beside them. ed to notify figt. Bradbury not later than to-morrow, 26th instant.

SPECIAL FOLICE RESERVE

Parados this week are as fillows

THE LATE GENERAL SIR GEORGE DIGBY BARKER.

AN INTERESTING MEMOIR.

LETTERS FROM PERSIS AND INDIA, 1837-1850. By the Lee GENERAL SIR GRONGE D'GBY BARRER. Edital by LADY BARKER (Bell, 7s. Bd. neb) The following interesting review appeared | made to drill those students who are recently in the "Times Literary Supple- athletically inclined. An American mint." The late General Sir George Digby | teacher has been engaged as coach, and Barker (Lady May's father) was General it is said the students are rapidly gotting

kong from 1890 to 1893. The book can be obtained at Masars Kelly and Walsh Ltd.

These lotters written " from the front," by a young soldier near'y axty years ago, make us feel more acutely the deprivation which a rigid censorship is inflicting upon the whole British Empire. L'entouant Barker's letters are a clarion pown of the great deeds of the famous 78th Regiment of Foot, the original "Oll Restablic Buffs," now the second bantalion of the Seaforth Highlanders. He wrote hot-foot, between fisica engagements, when he was almost tired out, but yet sot too tired to remember his mother at home anxiously waiting for the letters which her failing eight painfully apor rhetoric or any at aining of the easy style which might have been written to day. Early Victorian as he is we see him and his brother officers in old photographs assiduously encouraging those luxurious whiskers which were the pride of the Great Exhibition-there is no tang of the Albert Memorial shout young Barker. True, he confesses unashamed to some characteristic "weaknesses" of the the mint as scourity, f time-the love of home and "people" and the simple soldier's faith in Divine protection and the guidance of a "Mere ful Hand"--Victorian sentiments for which even the enlightoned twentieth century has not yet discovered effectual anhatitutes. In short, he is a brave, modest, simplehearted young fellow, intensely pond of his regiment, his country, and his Queen, a gallant fighter, and-mrs combinationan elequent narrator of gallant fights. His frank charm shines from every page, and one cannot but love the boy.

He was but twenty three when he first but though in later ye Barker schieved many me varied fields, became a cofessor at the Statt College, where he had entered and passed out top of the list, directed military education at the War Office, commanded in chief in the Far East and governed a Colony in the West, he never again saws stricken field; and these first years of his career, 1857-1859, must have stayed in his memory as "the time of a life" which reached its honour't clos only ten months ago, when the pipes of the 78th were heard at Clare Priory, while the sergeants of his old regiment bors the body of their colonel to the grave.

The first campaign was but a little one interesting just now, for it was the war with Persia, brought about by the Shah's annexation of Berat in 1856, and Barker's retired by rotation be re-elected to the regiment went up the Shattel Arab to the past few weeks. His notes may surprise proposition of Mr McHugh seconded by Mr but to scratch the sand at Bushire to unroof compactly for another charge. General The Chairman announced that dividend records (in February, as might be called out, "Well done, 78th I you shall An Indian watchman at Mon Kok was warrants will be ready to-morrow and may expected) that it was "bitterly cold be my own regiment in future; another There are touches in the letters Government, who are keeping it very secret"; and again, "Daylight this morning found us still wending our way at the prec of about one mile per hour through salt marshes deep with mud and water." went up to Mohammarah in the Precursor (whose name is still somewhat dingily commemorated at Cowes), but their one twelveon the bank. The chief exploit was a rach expedition in April up the Karun, to Ahwaz, 75 miles from their supports, in which three hundred picked men of the 78th and 64th, joined by a hundred sailors, put to flight ing them to exhaust their ammunition an army of 7,000 or 8,000, 2,000 of while we rested, we again advanced and which were cavalry," by this simple

> "Captain Hunt of our regiment, who commanded the troops, now landed his little band of 300, formed them into three divisions, making them spread eye- as much space as possible, Will the intention of deluding the enemy into the idea that we were a brigade of three regiments instead of a small detachment of three companies. and, poor dear little April fools, they believed it, as the sequel will show. Our three little columns, with the height impudence, now advanced covered by a row of skirmishers—the latter commanded by your humble servant in proprid persona At the same time two gunboats advanced up the river and opened fire upon the enemy on the opposite bank. As we approached the village we found the garrison had made a bolt of it and, crossing the river, had joined the main army, who were now to be seen in full retreat, their columns covering the ground for miles and

This account of a little-known campaign will be rend with special attention at the pre-ent time, and it is interesting to notice the emphasis laid on the "strong redoubts and fortifications "constructed at Baerah by "Russian engineers." Our presont ally was, of course, than our recent enemy in Europe, and our lasting anxiety in Asia Peace was made with Poreis before the 78th could distinguish itself forther, but At Mount Austin Barracks :- 10.15 the Regiment was to serve under the same general, Outram, in much more perilous days. The Indian Mutiny had broken out before the Regiment got back to Bombay. and the 78th were sent round to Calcutta and took a leading part in the first relief and subsequent defence of Lucknow The tale of borror was only familiar to a past generation, but by whelming odds is alreast forgotten, Barker,

A FAMILY NECESSITY,

LIVERY family should be provided with Chamberiain's Pain Balm'at all times | have never had to face such tremendous To-day :- Lat Portugueso Company-5.30 | Sprains may, be cured by time | numerical disparity as the 1st Division did GOOD among people think rheumatism p.m. Friday. March 26th; Lat British when promptly treated. Lame back, lame when it marched to relieve Lucknew. The can not be enrod without taking Comreny, with arms 5.30 p.m. Saturday shoulder, pains in the ride and che traid neaseous medicine. Chamborlain's Pain March 27th. No. 1 Platoon, 1st Chinese rheunatic pains are some of the disease; given Lady Barker a great apportunity, lialm missaged thoroughly into the size Company Munketry Practice under In- for which is especially viltable. Try this of which she has well availed herself, to let has cured far more rheumatism than any apoctor. Potter, Peak Range 3.0 p.m. limimout and become nequented with its the notion know how its soldiers fought in internal remady in existence and gives Remainder of let Chinese Company will qualities and you will never west to be the past so that they may realize that they relief quicker. For sale by all Chemists parade at Central Station at 3.0 p.m., without it, Bor sale by all Themists and are still inch of the same stuff as their

CANTON ITEMS.

(From Our Una Correspondent.)

CANTON, Mar. 22.

VINED BUT IN INCRMAL COLLEGE." The Causen Senior Normal College has chosen the 28th of the present month for a field day. An attempt is now being Officer Commanding the Troops in Hong: into form to display their skill hand-

Some time, ago some merchants offered the Board of Finance an annual premium for the exclusive unle of ten in Canton and Eatshan; but the proposition was nob considered a feasible one at the time and was rejected. Now comes forward the Wah Hing Co. with mi offer of \$90,000 a year, bonus for the moropoly in Canton. and Honam. So far no action has been taken by the Beard.

h about to cinton mint.

For some time the Canton Mint has immediacy, and let us into the very life | been negotiating for a lean from the Comand spirit of the battle, yet without effort munication, Bank for the purpose of repairing old molds and buying new ones. The The arrangements are now said to bo completed for an advance of \$400,000 in silver dollars, to be forwarded to Canton about the first of April. The money is terest at a per cout, with the profits of

NATIONAL CURRENCY.

It seems the Central Covernment is waking to the fuet so obvious to all but themselves that if they wish to have a currency that is to be worth anything it must be issued by the General Government, not by the separate provinces. Accordingly they have requested all the principal provinces to take the matter into consideration and submit suggestions as to the best methods to be used in came under fire, and he lived to be sighty; bringing about this much to be desired improvement. 'It is to be hoped they will ose no time in carrying this plan into

OBITUARY.

London, March 13. The death is announced of Sir George Turner, the authority on leprosy.

"When the line of infantry had been pretty well pounded by the enemy's caumon. the 78th were ordered to advance and charge the batteries at the point of the Dayonet : on we went with deafenig cheers. and in a few minutes the guns were ours ; on we went past the hattories and fired into the retreating foe, until we were those who have been taught that, one has halted for a few seconds to form a min hell fire; for instead of blazing heat he Havelock at this time came up, and night; the hills in the distance charge like that and we shall win the day." . Upon this we went through pools and mud, cheering and screnching, and the might have been written to-day, "as next battery was ours, but this was almost "What is up? no one knows except the too much for human exertion. The sun was now at its hottest, and rushing on like madmen, with the weight of arms and ammunition, every one was completely done up. At last we were halted. half-an-hour's refrashing rest (if rest can be called rofreshing when the ground on all sides is being ploughed up with shot), we again advanced to the right flank, which pounder "did little harm" to the enemy was threatened by the enemy, and after driving them out of snother village, we all lay down on the ground; round shot and grape came thick around us from one side. and rifle shots from another. After allow-

> had followed them to Cawapore, which fell to our hands and darkness covered the field of action."

> drave them off the field. By this time we

Havelock after this addressed the men I have been forty years in the Service, have been engaged in action about seven and twenty times, but during the whole of my career I have never seen any regiment behave better, may more, I have never seen one behave so well, as the 78th Highlanders this day. I am proud of

Soon after, on their third attempt to march up the Lucknow road " My regiment was moved opposite to the most troublesome redoubt, and thinking it too much of a j-ke to be slaughtered by dozens, we set up a howl and charged the redoubt, without any orders, took it in glorious style, captured the two guns in t, and, turning them round on the enemy, fired shot and shell in to the midst of their

That is the kind of letter the old folks at home love to read. This little book is full of such good stuff, but every one, especially every Highlander, must read it for imself. Bucker, now D.A.Q.M.G. on Outram's staff, was probably the first man

into the besieged Residency :-"Seeing Sir James Outram making for the embrasure, I followed close behind him, and being on foot and he on horseback I managed to get in before him. I believe have the honour of being the first in though another disputes it. 'As I went up the hill inside my hand was hilf shaken off by the delighted garrison."

It was a wonderful scone, and there was: yet another, when "we heard the glad sound of Sir, Colin Campbell's heavy guns booming near Alum, Bagh," When Campbell decided to abandon Lucknow for the present, and the gerrison and their rencuers secretly withdraw at night. Outram told the 78th, "in a low tone of voice," that he h d chosen them "for the honour of covering the retirement of all: as we had the post of honour on entering to relieve the garriso; none were more worthy of the post of honour on leaving

In one day, the day they won their way into the Residency, the 78th lost nine officers and 130 men kil ed and wounded out of a total myster of little more than 400. Compared with this our present losses shrink to their due proportion. We

famous fathers,

TELEGRAPH.

THE PROGRESS OF THE

SUCCESSFUL AIR RAID ON ENEMY NEAR ANTWERP.

BOMBS DROPPED ON NEWLY CONSTRUCTED SUBMARINES.

RUSSIA'S GREAT SUCCESS AT PRZEMYSL.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

ENEMY ATTACKED BY AIR SQUADRON NEAR ANTWERP

BOMBS DROPPED ON NEW SUBMARINES.

Lospon, Mar. 24, 6.10 p.m.

The Admiralty has issued the report made by Rear-Commander Longmore of a successful attack made to-day by the Dunkirk Air Squadron on Hoboken, near Antwerp. Two aeroplanes were compelled to itionally. roturn by the thick weather and Flight-Commander Meates descended in Holland owing to engine trouble, but Squadron-Commander Courtney and Flight-Lieut. Rosher reached their objective, and planing down to a thousand feet, dropped four bombs each on the submarines under construction. It is believed that they did considerable damage to the works and to two submarines. The works were observed to be on fire. Five Bubmarines were on the slips.

The sirmen had considerable difficulty in finding their way in the mist, and were subjected to a heavy gunfire while delivering their attack. that the German airmen did not t-ke

FIELD MARSHAL FRENCH INTERVIEWED

"DEFINITE VICTORY AWAITS US."

LONDON, March 23. A message from Paris says that Field-Marshal Sir John French, interviewrived, emphasised that he did not believe in a protracted war. Sir John spoke in murder case trial would drawn such a favourable terms of the whole situation, emphasising the great importance of distinction in favour of the bomb thrower."

continual large supplies of munitions. He concluded:—"I am convinced that .nt the end of these hard months of war definite victory awaits us."

BELGIANS MAKE PROGRESS ON THE YSER.

The French Capture More Tranches.

LONDON, March 24, 4.40 p.m. A Paris communique states that a Belgian Division made progress on the The avistor saw a thin wreath of smoke right bank of the Year yesterday and another Division captured a treach on the left bank of the river.

We captured the second line of trenches at Hartmannweiler, our troops organising themselves on the further side of the second line of defences within a very short distance of the summit. We captured a number of prisoners. including some officers.

(Official Telegram from French Government via Peking.)

; ALLIES HOLD NEARLY ALL THE TRENCHES NORTH OF ARRAS.

Paris, Mar. 24". We hold, north of Arras, all the trenches which have been contested for several days with the exception of only ten metres which the Germans still hold

The enemy bombarded Albert Hospital, killing five aged people. A Zeppelin bombarded Villers Cotteretz doing no damage. Slight progress has been experienced in Champagne and also

'Argonne where two German counter-uttacks were totally repulsed. Eparges, five German counter-attacks also failed.

French airmon replying to the Zeppelin's raid bombatded, on the 21st and 22nd, about twenty stations or military positions belonging to the enemy, notably at Roye, Cernay and Fribourg.

TRIBUTE TO BRITISH AIRMEN.

GERMAN AVIATORS AFRAID OF PURSUIT.

LONDON, March 23. Field Marshal Sir John French, in his bi-weekly Bulletin, says:-All is quiet, except for occasional German artillery fire, the damage by which is not commensurate with the ammunition expended.

The enemy's sirmen have shown unwonted activity in the favourable weather, but they only succeeded in killing three women and four civilians. They flew at such a great height that they were unable to take nim. This procedure on the part of the enemy airmen is a great tribute to the British airmen, as it was adopted in order to increase the chances of the German airmen escaping pursuit.

ENEMY AGAIN DEFEATED NEAR SUEZ CANAL.

LONDON, March 23. The Official Press Bureau states that at dawn yesterday patrols discovered

party of the enemy near El Kubri, opposite Suez. Shots were exchanged. Acroplanes estimated the numbers of the enemy at 1,000 infantry and artillary and a few cavalry. The guns at El Kubri opened fire, and the enemy retired and encamped eight miles to the east of the Canal.

routed the enemy, who is now in full retreat. A prisoner says that the force marched for twelve days direct from Birelsabe, and that it included General von Traumer and three other German

GERMANS SPRAY BURNING LIQUID.

London, March 24, 1.50, a.m.

The Poris evening communique states :-A German grench was demolished and the ground captured at Garence

morthwest of Arras. Our artillery checked an aftempt to bombard Soissons. The enemy sprayed burning liquid on a trench at Vauquois, canaing the

defenders to withdray a space of fifteen yards. Two German attacks at Eparges were repulsed. The French have captured a line of trenches and a block-house at Harlmann Weilerkopf.

BY TELEGRAPH.

ON THE EASTERN FRONT.

RUSSIANS RETIRE FROM MEMEL.

LONDON, March 24, 4.50 a.m.-

A Petrograd communique says :--The Russian detachment which reconneitred towards Memel has retired to Russian territory.

FALL OF PRZEMYSL.

RUSSIA'S ENORMOUS NUMBER OF PRISONERS.

London, Mar. 23, 0.5 p.m. A message from Petrograd says that the former Commander of the fortress of Przemysl reports that the total prisoners in the hands of the Russians are: -

Nine Generals. 93 Staff Officers 2,500 officers

117,000 men Many guns and other booty were taken by the Russians;

ITALY PROFOUNDLY IMPRESSED.

London, Mar. 23, 10.20 p.m. A telegram from Rome says that the surronder of Przemysl has caused a tremendous impression in Italy. It is estimated that this great success will liberate 150,000 Russian troops. Unless Berlin and Vienna immediately rush reinforcements to the Galician front Austria's sad plight will be rapidly aggravated.

ORIGINAL STRENGTH OF GARRISON.

LONDON, Mar. 23, 11.10 p.m. A' Petrograd message says that the Garrison was originally 170,000 strong, of whom 40,000 have been killed. The prisoners included 20,000

UNCONDITIONAL BURRENDER.

LoxDox, Mar. 24, 4,30 a.m. A Petrograd communique says that Przemysl surrendered uncoudi-

than 2,000:000 more man.

If she seeks to create more units she will

do it to the detriment of existing units.

Every hour increases the wasting of the German Army. The more she forms now

FINE DISPLAYS OF FRENCH

VALOUR.

sermana from sending any troops or

munitions to the eastern theatre. Among

the most brilliant achievements wasone at a

redoubt at Beausejour. Here the colonial

infantry gave another proof of their ardour

and showed a spirit of sacrifice worthy of

their glorious traditions. The redoubt is

situated on an important ridge between

two ravines and is a veritable maze of

A battalion of Colonial infantry attacked

BRAVING THE AVALANCHE.

The Frenchmen braved the avalanche

Lieut. Raynal mounted the parapet, and

continued to lead the men till he fell ex-

DREADFUL CARNAGE.

how bitter the fighting had been. Four German counter attacks were repulsed by

and threatening them with revolvers,

and were joined by the marines, who had

been working in the trenches. These

charged with pick *xes, doing great execu

day long with frightful intensity, with heavy calibre shells. These claimed many

TROUBLE AVERTED.

brall Chemiste and Sterekeepers.

cross the field of dead.

Heaps of dead Germans, however, showed

London, March 11.

WAR NEWS.

The New York World, in a leading article upon the German air raid, says :-What is the difference between killing a defenceless woman with a revolver and killing her with a bomb? It may be said deliberate aim at the woman killed in the East Coast raid, but they rained bombs on helpless non-combatants and on unfortified towns. It was nothing to them whether the bombe killed men, women or sleeping babies. The paper goes on to say that the military mind may be able to detect a difference in shooting a woman with a revolver and an actual bomb offence, but the "difference is not apparent to the civilian mind, and, certainly, no jury in a

FFENCH AVIATOR'S FEAT.

A Paris message reports are attack on employ large forces from his reserves in Rothweil powder works, one of the most, other sectors and make him expend great important in Germany. A French aviator descended to 5,000 feet above the same in ceasant fighting in which the best German order to take better aim, and dropped four bombs. The first fell in the seid tanks. proceed from them, and then an immense tlame, followed by dense columns of thick smoke which attained to the height of the aeroplane. Three other bombs set fire to other parts of the works.

member of well-known family KILLED AT THE FRONT.

the redoubt and stormed the first line of trenches. After artillery preparation, the London, March 11. Mr. Gerald Da Maurier, the well known Germans made six counter-attacks and actor manager, has been informen this his showered grenades. Three attacks were inquiry this afternoon into the circums brother, Lt. Col. Guy L. B. Du Maurier, most violent, but the Germans were forced the author of "An Englishman's Home." to retire with very heavy losses. The Ger has been killed at the front.

mans then launched at midnight a massed [Lt. Col. G. L. B. Du Maurier, son of the appihil-ted the equivalent of a battalion. well-known painter and author of "Trilby," was connected with the Royal Fu-iliers. We still held the tronches at daybreak, and He was born in 1865, and won the D. S.O. prepared for a further advance when the in South Africa, where he commanded the enemy delivered a furious attack, shouting 20th M. I. His patriotic play " English. and throwing granades. man's Home" had a great vogue in 1901, and has been revived recently.]

CONSPICUOUS GALLANTRY.

London, March 11. The London Cazette aunounces that ten hausted. Lieut. Cazeau followed Distinguished Service Orders and fifteen example and made a great effort; but fel Military Crosses for officers who displayed The German masses came on until only conspicuous gallantry and gallantry and sergeant and 2 officers was alive in the Medals to the rank and file and the Indian | clubbing, the sergeant working his machine Order of Merit for gallantry and devotion gun, though wounded, while serving in Indian corps.

LEGION OF HONOUR.

London, March 11. Legion of Honour for bravery in the and stormed the second line of trenches. trenches. He was anonymously mentioned It reached the third line, but suffered in a recent Eysaitness report as crawling | heavy losses, with another British efficer into a German communication trench and returning with information he was sent to obtain.

GERMAN STATEMENT.

London, March 11. At the opening of the Reichstag, the President declared as follows .- In the West, Officers and non-come, could be seen by the light of star-shells striking the men the East and the South our and our Ally's armies are standing like walls of steel. We Early to day a force under General Sir G. Younghusband attacked and replied to Britain's threat of starvation with submrrines which have slready given many proofs of heroic bravery, sacrifices are vigantic, but from bloodshed of the battlefields a lasting peaco will ariss.

ENEMY'S THINNING RANKS,

2,000,000 German Lorses to December.

Paris.—The Bulletin des Armees gives the redoubt. The troops of the line were some facts regarding the German losses. relieved by colonials. Most of the original regiments, have had to new formations have suffered even thurs The German losses from August 2 to the

heginaling of December were Coarly two THAT little old and fore thrust of your millions, and since then there has been I must be shocked at once or it may millions, and since then there has been I must be checked at once or it may falter E.O. Bwan, and snouver in, and the fighting in Poland. Allowing for a develop into something words. Take a few went away, but she attended have bus return of 500,000 wounded men to the deas of Chamberlain's Cough Bowedy and She persisted that she followed her huscolours, the German losses would be your troubles will soon vanish for sale

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail. THE SITUATION AT

NORMAL CONDITIONS

SINGAPORE.

PREVAIL

LONDON, March 23. The Official Press Bureau says that all the messages received since the last notification show that there is a re storation of normal conditions at Singspore. All except sleren rebels have been captured. Five of the riotars were court-martialled and shot, and others were sentenced to terms of

mprisonment. During the riot 17 German prisoners oscaped, of whom six have been recaptured. The conduct of the re mainder of the prisoners was exemplary.

(Wah Taz Yat Po's Service.)

THE JAPANESE DEMANDS.

PERING, Mar. 25.

The Chinese Government cannot agree to the proposal of Japan that the discussion of the Japanese demands shall take place in the Japanese Legation. The regotiations are kept strictly secret, and the police disperse groups of people who gather to discuss them in the streets.

PROPOSED BANK AMALGAMATION

The Minister- of Finance, Chow Hok Hu, proposes that the Bank of China and the Bank of Communications, be amalgamated.

MACAO BOUNDARY QUESTION.

The German reserves were not incrhaustible. Even if the youngest classes Liu Yu Ling the former Minister and the men between twenty and forty to London, has been appointed to who have bitherto been exempt from assist in the Macho delimitation conservice are called to the colcurs, Germany does not seem to have at her disposal mora

FORMER KIANGSU GOVERNOR SENTENCED.

units the more she diminishes the general Ying Tak Kwong, former civil value of her army, and the nearer comes governor of Kiangsu, has been senhe moment when she will be at the end of tenced to four years imprisonment for embezzling official funds during his term of office.

A POST ABOLISHED.

The Financial Minister proposes to Paris, Official: The French Eyewitness inanimportant despatch on the great battle | abolish the office of superintendent of in Champagne, says the violent pressure the provincial hunks, and to place Africa during the war. apon the enemy's lines compelled him to them in charge of the treasurers TO EDUCATE PRISONERS. quantities of ammunition. There was inunits were decimated. This prevented the

The Minister for Justice has given orders that all prisoners are to be educated during the term of their im-

A HAWKER'S DEATH. Resumed Inquiry

Mr. Himeland, Comper, resumed the stances attending the death of a Chinese hawker who met his death at the foot attack, but in a few momenta our fire of some stops in Hollywood Road.

Yesterday allegations were ma'e.b. the

widow that P.C. Swan kicked her husband, and he fell down the steps. P.C. Wm. Reynolds who was with P.C. Swan at the time of the occurrence con roborated "the latter's evidence. statement was to the effect that he saw defendant and a number of men squatting led a magnificent charge. He was soon defendant and a number of men squatting wounded in the eye and abdomen, but by a stall up a side lane. When the men saw the officers they run away and the light on the stall was put out. Tho constablet divided, witness running in

another direction with the object of inmarked ability have been conferred; also trenches and held the enemy at bay, killing tercepting the men. As he came out at the a large number of Distinguished Conduct large numbers, firing, bayonething and foot of the steps he saw something fall from the steps on to Hollywood Bond. Lieut, Lelong, although wounded seeing Witness found it was a man; he was then the position was lost, shouted "This is lying on his side and bleeding from the how a French officer dies," and hurled back of the head. He was unconscious him elf on the enemy killing several before P.C. Swan arrived a few seconds later, he died, riddled with bullets, Two coming down the steps. The widow. battalions of the Colonial Infantry next Capt. Percy Arthur Clive, M.P., of the day re-attacked. One battalion captured came from the direction of Hollywood Grenadier Guards, has been awarded the a trench and the other crossed beyond it Road, but she did not descend the steps. After the mun's head was bathed he was taken to the Central Police Station.

> -Ches-examined by Mr. Bowley, who appeared on behalf of the widow, witness suid he had a shorter distance to go that

the aid of our artillery, and the front of Mr. Bowley: The deceased naturally their trenches was so covered with German' arrived there first but unfortunately he corpses that the enemy seemed reluctant to. landed on his head ?-Yes. How did he fall? That was his quickcet way down probably.

Witness added that he was about ten Another French company then attacked, pards from the loot of the stops when the deceased fell. The body landed about three feet from the steps. He reached tion therewith. The enemy retired, giving it before P.C. Swan. It was impossible up their attempts to storm the redoubt, for the woman to have been on the spot which they proceeded to bombard the whole first. When she arrived she commenced

The Chinese interpreter at the police rather than retire. The bombardment station testified that on the 9th inst., when Sergt. Ogg was on duty in the charge room the deceased's widow visited the station. She said she did not see the incident, or she was in her own

> The widow was re-called at the instance of Mr. Bowley, and stated that band down the steps. There was no gambling going on at the stell, She was

look out for police so that her husband could put out the stall light if they came By Inspector Brazil: I was frightened

the incident, that my husband had been assaulted. Mr. Bowley said there was no doubt that the man met his death when he was running away from the constable, and he would not have ran away had he not been in terror. Mr. Bowley quoted a point of law to the effect that "any person who ran away from well-known apprehension of violence and, may, jumped into the water and met his death the man who threatened.

him should be answerable for the consequences." The constable saw something running, and the instinct to chase was aroused in him. He was doing an unn'cremry act, and putting the deceased in fear. Whether he kicked the deceased or not, the man's death was attributable to

to make a complaint, on the night of

the unnecessary act of the constable in chasing him. Mr. Hazeland : That occurs every day in a gambling raid. 'The constable is entitled to chase if he reasonably suspects

Mr Bowley remarked that there were no evidences of gambling. There was no offence in several men squatting in a lane.
Mr Hazeland said the point that the jury had to decide was whether the constable

:Mr Bowley pointed out that as regards. that point there was a direct conflict of The jury; through the foreman, intimated that they were satisfied that there was not

kicked the decessed or not.

enough evidence to prove that the deceased was kicked As regards the point of "woll-known apprehension of violence," the Magistrate said that he would fix a date so that the

Crown Solicitor could argue the point. Mr. Bowley: If your Worship thinks that is necessary. Mr. Hazeland: I think that the constable was quite justified in giving

chase. It is a thing that happens every Inspector Brazil observed that the constable was acting in strict accordance with Departmental regulations and, further, if the man did not stop when called upon

he was liable to be shot.

Mr. Hazeland: I do not think there is anything in your point. Mr Bowley. The Inquiry concluded, the verdict being that the deceased died as the result of a fractured skull through falling down some

DEATH OF MR. JOSHUA ROWNTREE.

M.P. and Philanthropist.

The death occurred at Wrea Head Scalby, near Scarborough, recently of Mr. Joshua Powntree, who was Liberal member of Parliament for Scarborough from 1886 to 1892.

Mr. Rownfree, who was born at Scarborough in 1844, took a prominent part in public life. He was a leading memher of the Society of Friends, and the author of several books, including "Imperial Drug Trade." He visited China to study the opium question, and South THE DIVIDEND of 87.00 and BONUS

Mr. Rowntree was Mayor of Scar sorough in 1886, and paid a £50 fine on the Parliamentary sent. He was also a FRIDAY the 26th March, 1915. justice of the peace, and formerly chairman of the Scarborough Harbour Com-

Mr. Rowntree took a deep interest in the work of the Peace Society, and he was president of the Scarborough Adult School sixes its foundation in 1867. "He is survived by Mrs. Rowntree and a son.

standing at the corner of the lane on the To-day's Advertisements

NOTICE.

PHOENIX CLUB

of the Proxite Clon will be held the Club Promises TO-MORROW (20th instant) at 8 o'clock P.M. Hongkong, March 25, 1915.

THE HONGKONG CLUB.

NOTICE.

THE TWENTY - NINTH YEARLY -GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG CLUB, will be held in the Club House, on TUESDAY, the 6th April 1915, at 5.50 r.M.

> . By Order, E. DES VŒUX,

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1915. 273

THE HONOKONG CLUB.

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that AD EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG CLUB willbe held at the Club House, Connaught-Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TURSDAY, the 6th day of April, 1915, at 5.15 o'clock in the afternoon, when the subjoined resolution will be proposed as

an Extraordinary Resolution !-"The Article 22 of the Articles of Association be cancelled and the follow-"ing Article substituted therefor :-

" 22. (a) The subscription for an Absent "Member shall be Seven dollars " per annum payable in advance "on the 1st January in each year.
(b) An Absent Member shall, in addition, pay at the rate of "Seven dol'ars por month for " every month or part of a month "be is present in Hongkong " provided be makes use of the " Club for more than one week in

ss any mouth. (c) Any member shall be entitled on payment inf bwenty-five: "dollars to be relieved from all "further liability at all times "thereafter for the payment of * the subscriptions otherwise due "from him as an Absent Member

Should the resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for Second Extraordinary Meetin; which will

be subsequently convened. E 'DES VŒUX.

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Hongkong, March 12, 1915,

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SPORTING.

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ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Navy Defeat H. K. F. C.

Last evening at the Rappy Valley the Navy beat the Club and thus made their OWNERS OF DOMESTIC BUILDINGS grip on the United Services League trophy practically secure. The Pelice, who stand second in the table, have to win all their VENTILATION BYE-LAWS (as amendremaining five fixtures to throaten the ed), every Domestic Building ur part of Navy's position.

The game was contested on a slippery by Members of more than one family, whose team forced the pace and were soon leading by two goals. Lively football ensured. When near the goal area, the be OLEANSED and LIMEWASHED Navy were dangerous and just before the THROUGHOUT by the Owners during the interval they added another gaol to their months of February and March.

through Stalker and the Navy again found | Limewashed in respect of all the Walls of the net, making the result a 4-1 victory in cach Room, all Cubicles, Partitions, Stair the favour of the Navy. The scorers for Casings and Stair Linings, all Cellings and the winners were Fudge, Hopper and the Undersides of Roofs in Main Godfrey.

Hongkong Cricket Club.

L. The following will represent th Hong-kong Cricket Club against Kowloon on the latter's ground next Saturday:—T. E. Pearce, (Captain), A. L. Gace, C. A. Hooper, P. Jacks, R. Konnedy, M. M. Maas, K. J. R. Mitchell, S. S. Moore, H. E. Muriel, H. H. Taylor, and R. L. D. Wodehouse.

WATERLOO CUP FINAL.

Winning Number's Success.

The final day of the Waterloo Cup meeting yesterday (Feb. 19) proved the tament for many years, particularly as regards the closing stages of the big event. Such a termination as there was ! was suggested by the previous running. for Winning Number, who in all the previous rounds endly beat his opponents. meritoriously dominated the situation. Ho was clearly the pick of the entry, with the exception perhaps of Leucoryx, who, but for an accident, would have contested the final with him.

The run of luck enjoyed by Nip Near ended when he met Happy Challenge. So hard run was Mr. Hale's dog on Thursday that there was some talk of Nip New getting another bye, but the son of Henry Weapon and Ferryman's Guido usule a rapid recovery, and, dashing up in front of the North Country caudidate, he killed and summarily floored the odds. Winning Number ran his course against Hadfield as he did the others-in stylish fashion. It was his smartness that outed Mr. "Brown's nomination when he got possession after the

His form, of course, left the final a foregone conclusion, and odds of 4 to 1 wore betted on him. It was like the was held in the Club House on WEDNESsemi-finals, a short trial, Winning Number going up for the turn two lengths in Redempuon :front and scoring twice in smart fashion before Happy Challenge dashed in for the kill. There was little in the trial, but what there was established the superiority of Sir Thomas Dewar's dog.

This was Sir Thomas Dewar's first Waterloo Cup victory. In fact, he had not previously had a nomination in the great event. Winning Number, who was purchased at a sale of the late Mr. Paterson'e grey-hounds for 280gs., is 62lb. in weight. His trainer is Denny Smith. who had on two pravious occasions turned out, Waterloo Cup winners, namely, Heavy Weapon and Hung Well. To turn out there winners within five years must be a more -

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SEMI-FINALS. Mr. M. Gy Hale's bd d Happy Challenge, by Heavy Weapon-Ferryman's Guide, beat Major G. Noble's f w d p (May) Nip Near, by Dendraspis-Juanita.

Betting-6 to 4 on Nip Near. From an even slip they raced together for a short time, and then Happy Challenge drew out a couple of lengths and never allowed the North Country dog a chance. Sir Thos. Dewar's 1 d Winning Number, by Lottery-Shady, beat Mr. C. Brown na Mr. E. Hulton's bd d p (April)

Lass. Winning Number raced off a couple of Boxes, Fans, etc., etc., lengths in front, and steadying himself cleverly for the turn put Hadfield in possession. The brindled only wrenched Egret Plumes and Satin embroidered

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March 24. Shaoasing, British steamer, 1,207, K. E. Tuebben, Shanghai March 20, General .-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Kwangles, Chinese str., 646, Miyaoka, Bangkok March 15, Rice. - CRINESE. March 25.

Nubia, Eritish str., 3,697, A. B. Garwood, Shanghai March 22, Mails and Gencral.-P. &. O. S. N. Co. Zaftre, American stenmer, 2,535, N. F. Ventorini, Saigon March 21, Rice .-

Kwongsang, British str., 1,428, W. F. Bichard, Shanghai, via Swatow March 20, General.-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LD. Lucon Maru, Japanese str., 2,968, T. Miyata, Kobe and Mojt Mar. 20, General.

Hikosan Maru, Japanese str., 2,554, S. Fujisaki, Saigon March 20, Rice.-M. B.

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DEPARTURES.

General.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

March 25. Chiyo Maru, for Shanghai & San Francisco. Succe Maru, for Singapore and London. Prometheus, for Bungkok. Tos . Mars, for Singapore and Calcutta. Fausang, for Saigon. Taishun, for Capton. Wenchowy for Hoibow and Pakhoi. Luchow, for Shanghai.

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Kucongsang, for Canton. Nubia, for Singapore and Bombay. Benverlich, for Nagasaki and Yokohama.

PASSENGERS.

ABBITED. Per Nubia, from Shanghai : for Hongkong, Mr J. A. Frahn, Mr and Mrs H. M. Cook, Mr M. W. Bouco, Mr J. F. Fleming, Mr W. Whitten, Mr F. Ferrier ; for Singapore, Mr and Mrs B. W. Bokenham, Mies Reuters ; for Colombo, Mr A. E. Lofts ; for London, Mr and Mrs E. Rowland, Miss Rowland and child, Mr E. A. Ystes, Mr and Mrs A. K. Mackenzie and child, Mr W. Crosbie, Mr A. E. Wearne, Col. and Mrs Bray, Masters R. and W. Bray. Mr G. Grant, Mr A. E. Simmonds, Mr H. L. Reeves. From Yokohama : for Freemantle, Miss F. R. Hopewell; for Colom-

Per Zofiro, from Saigon, Dr and Mrs J.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The American steamer Zafire from Saigon reports; Weather good until 100 miles off First Floor, including Treasury on Gap Rock. Heavy sea and strong winds

The British steamer Kecongrang from Shanghai reports: Moderate S'ly winds and fine weather to Swatow, strong E'ly wind and squally at Swatow (23rd), moderate N'ly and N.E'ly winds and cloudy weather from Swatow to Hongkong.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. -

Mails. The M. M. Co.'s str. Ernest Simons with the French Mail, is due to arrive here on Sunday, the 28th March. The P. M. S. S Co. s. s. Minimuria sailed from Yokohoma on Friday March 19th, via Manila for Hongkong. The mails have been transferred to the g.s. Tamba Marit of the N. Y. K. Line. which is scheduled to arrive at Hongkong on the 28th March.

Other Passels.

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The E. & A. Co. s a.s. Impire from Sydney, &c , left Manila for this port on the 23rd March, at 7 p.m. and may be expected to arrive here on the 26th March, at daylight. The Australian Oriental Line s.s. Changeha left Port Darwin on the 16th March. for this port via Philippine Ports, and may be expected to arrive here on cr about the 28th March.

The Barber Line s.s. Bolton Oustle left New York for Hongkong via Panama Canal on the 29th January, and is therefore expected to arrive here about the beginning of April.

Latest Advices The s.s. Sangola from Calcutta and Straits left Saigon on the 24th March, at noon, and may be expected here on or about

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POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Commencing on Saturday, the 27th inst., a Mail for Canton will be closed at the G.P.O. every Saturday at 6 p.m.

The s.s. Tamba Maru with the American Mail, and Mail from London (vin Siberia) of Thursday, the 25th uit., is due to arrive here on Saturday, the 27th inst.

Per Singan, at 4 p.m., on Friday, the --- 26th Mar. HONGAY. Per Takung, at 4 p.m., on Friday, the 26th Mar. SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA.

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26th Mar. WEIHAIWEI & TIENTSIN. Per Huichow, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 27th Mar. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, JAPAN Via NAGASAKI & SEATTLE. Per Minnesots, at 11 a.m., on Saturday,

Registration at 3.30 p.m. Letters at 4 p.m. Tientain-Pukow Service Shanghai British P. O. Thursday, 1st April.] HAIPHONG.

The Parcel Mail will be closed on Thursday, the 25th Mar., at 5 p.m. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, JAPAN Via NAGASAKI, HONOLULU, U.S., SOUTH AMERICA & CANADA via BAN FRANCISCO & UNITED KINGDOM Via CANADA. Per China, Registration at 10 a.m. Letters 11 s.m., on Tuesday, the

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WEATHER REPORT

On the 25th at 15,40; - Presso a has given way moderately over N. China, Japan and the Loochoos; it has visen at all other stations in the area, especially over N: Japan, the depression having passed into the Pacific.

The anticyclone has continued to move eastwards and is now situated to the S.E. of Tokio. A fresh-area of high pressure covers Chins and appears to be central between the valleys of the Canton River, and the Upper Kangtze.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.11 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

I .- Hongkong and Neighbourhood .E. winds, moderate; fair. 2.-Formosa Channel: N.E. winds,

n the 24th inst.

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EXCHANGE. Hongkong, March 25, 1915. On London-Documentary, 4 months' sight 1/-10 On Parls-On demand, Credits, 4 months sight, Op demand. On Now York-On demand. Credits, 60 days' sight, ... On Bombay-On demand. Un Unloutin-Wire. On demand... On Singapore-On demand. On Manila-On 'demand On Shanghal-On demand. 30 days' sight (private paper)...-

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HAIPHONG. Per Keijo Maru, at 9 s.m., on Friday,	Union Insurance Society, Ld	13,480	\$320	-	\$875 bayers	6 9,5
the 26th Mar.	Yangtoge Insuranon Assoc., Ld.	13,000	\$199	623	\$2 35	
STRAITS, BATAVIA, CHERIBGN, SAMARANG & SOURABAYA. Per Riojun Maru, at 10 a.m., on Friday,	FIRST INSURANCE.			-n,	2	
the 26th Mar-		80,006	\$100	856	\$134 ex div.	7 00
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.	China Fire Insurance Co., Ld				9373 by's	7 0 0
Per Haitan, at noon, on Friday, the 26th Mar.	Houghong Fits Insur. Co., Ld.	9,600	3.50			4
SAIGCN.	DOCES, MRC.	4, 4			OSD ti-	54 00
Per Devoucongue, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 26th Mar.	H kong & W'pos Dock Co., Ld.		B88	- 041 - 31	\$50 zales	
CHEFOO & NEWOHWANG. Per Singan, at 4 p.m., on Friday, the	New Amoy Dock Co., Lal.		Tin. 158	•11	Tla. 52	
26th Mar.	Stanges! Dook & Eng. Co. 12	90,100	A1M. 400	2 10	y William	
HONGAY. Per Takung, at 4 p.m., on Friday, the	STELMHOLTS, TUSE, ESC.		-		A71	y
26th Mar.	China and Manua C.S. Co., As.	80,000	194		85½ sales	10.00
SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. Per Tungshing, at 4 p m, on Friday, the	Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	80,008	958		\$ 35	10 00
26th Mar.	H.K., C. & M. S. B. Co., Id.	ALC: No. of	715		\$23	4.0,0
SHANGHAI & NORTH OHINA.	Indo-China S. M. Co., Ltd	60,006	25	EH.	}\$80 mles d	s sollors
Per Yingehow, at 4 p.m., on Friday, the 26th Mar.	Star Ferry Company, Ld	1	\$10	45	\$36	0
WEIHAIWEI & TIENTSIN.	Shell Trans. & Trad. Co., Ld 4	.047,610	\$1	all	68/9	81 00
Per Huichow, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 27th Mar.	- 2271720200.		Horaca .	· · · · ·		1 m
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, JAPAN Via	Ohine Sugar Company, Limited		9100		\$108§ \$25	
NAGASAKI & SEATTLE. Per Minnesota, at 11 a.m., on Saturday,	Laron Sugar Company, Limited	7,884	D106	40	•==	
the 27th Mar.	H.K. & K. Wharf & Godown Cd.	E00.52		411	\$651	500
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Per Leongsung. at 2 p.m., on Saturday.	Shangkal B Hangkers Wharf Co.		214. 188	4	Tis. 91	
the 27th Mar.	LANDS AND BUILDINGS,	- 1 H	*		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. (Europe via Siberia.)	Hongkong Land Investment &			. 1	A	
Per Shaehsing, on Saturday, the 27th	Agency Company, Limited	60,000	B100	1 1 1 1 1	\$110	62 00
Mar. Registration at 3.30 p.m.	Hongkong Central Estate Ld	10,000	\$100	- 5 2	\$200	
Letters at 4 p.m. Tientain-Pukow Service Shanghai British	Hongkong Land Reclamation Co. I. B'hai Land Investment Co., Ld.	* * *			Tis. 97	May a series
P. O. Thursday, 1st April.]	Kowlood Land & Building Co	6,000	350	h p	\$42 sellers	7100
RAIPHONG. Per Sungkiang, at 4 p.m., on Saturday,	Humphreys Estate & Finance Co.	84	- 0 118		\$81 bayers	600
the 27th Mar.	Wast Point Building Co., Ld	13,500	3.55	1	\$68} bayers	600
SWATOW, AMOY & FORMOSA VIA	TRANSATS.					
Per Kaijo Maru, at 11 a.m.; on Mon- day, the 29th Mar.	The Peak Transways Co., Lt.	55,00G	715 712		\$104 sollers	8 0/0
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SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.	Tronch Mines, Limited				32,6 sellers	
Per Haimun, at noon, on Tuesday, the	Ranh Ans. Gold Mining Co., Ld.		#1	ell.	\$4.40 teller	
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, JAPAN VIA	BOTTLE, ESC.					
MOJI, VICTORIA, TACOMA & UNITED KINGDOM VIA CANADA.	Hongkong Hotel Company, Id.	20,000	\$50	all	\$118 sellers	400
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INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT & EUROPE.			912		861 buyers	
Per Nubia, on Friday, the 28th Mar. Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.	Houghong Dairy Ferm Co.	850,63 850,62	218 273		\$18 \$33 buyers	600
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Letters 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 30th Mar.		13,319	31	adl	131 boyer	
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